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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 20th of *February*, 1778,

PRESENT,

The King's Moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majeſty was graciouſly pleaſed, by His Royal Proclamation, bearing Date the 25th Day of October 1776, to promiſe and declare, That the Bounties of Five Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Two Pounds Ten Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, fit for His Majeſty's Service, ſhould be paid in the Manner thereby directed, to every ſuch Able and Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Eighteen Years, who ſhould, on or before the 31ſt of December then following, enter themſelves to ſerve in His Majeſty's Royal Navy, either with the Captains or Lieutenants of His Majeſty's Ships, or the Chief Officers on Board ſuch Tenders as ſhould be employed for raiſing Men for the Service of the Royal Navy. And whereas His Majeſty was alſo pleaſed, by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the 8th Day of November, 1776, to promiſe and declare, That a Reward of Two Pounds for every Able, and Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, ſhould be paid in the Manner thereby directed, to any Perſon who ſhould diſcover any Seaman or Seamen, who might ſecrete themſelves, that ſo ſuch Seaman or Seamen ſhould be taken for His Majeſty's ſaid Service, by any of His Majeſty's Sea-Officers employed for raiſing Men, on or before the 31ſt Day of December, 1776. And whereas His Majeſty was likewiſe pleaſed, by His Royal Proclamation bearing Date the 15th Day of Auguſt laſt, to promiſe and declare, That every Able-bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, who ſhould voluntarily enter himſelf to ſerve on Board any of His Majeſty's Ships, on or before the 31ſt Day of October then next, ſhould receive as of His Majeſty's Royal Bounty, the Sum of Thirty Shillings each Man, to be paid in Manner thereby directed. And whereas the Time limited by the ſaid Proclamations, for Payment of the ſaid Bounties and Rewards, hath been prolonged and extended to the 28th Day of this inſtant February; and it being judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service that the ſaid Bounties and Rewards ſhould be continued to be paid for ſome Time longer; His Majeſty, with the Advice of His Privy-Council, doth therefore order, and it is hereby accordingly ordered, that the Time limited for Payment of the ſaid Bounties and Rewards be prolonged and extended from the ſaid 28th Day of this Inſtant February, to the 30th Day of April next, inclusive. —— Whereof all Perſons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly.

*G. Chetwynd.*

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 20th of *February*, 1778,

PRESENT,

The KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majeſty's Order in Council of the 7th Day of November laſt, for prohibiting the Exporting out of this Kingdom, or carrying Coaſtwiſe, Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, will expire on the 23d of this inſtant February: And whereas it is judged expedient that the ſaid Prohibition ſhould be continued for ſome Time longer, except in thoſe Caſes where (for the Benefit and Advantage of Trade, and for the Uſe and Defence of Ships trading to Foreign Parts, and of the Tranſports and Victualling Veſſels employed in His Majeſty's Service) His Majeſty, by His ſeveral Orders in Council of the 13th and 27th of October, and of the 6th and 22d of November, 1775, of the 5th and 19th of February, and the 23d of Auguſt and 25th of September, 1776, of the 16th of April, the 13th of Auguſt, and the 3d and 10th of October laſt, has thought proper to permit and allow the Exportation of, and carrying Coaſtwiſe, Gunpowder, Saltpetre, Arms and Ammunition, under certain Conditions and Reſtrictions mentioned in the ſaid Orders: His Majeſty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby order, require, prohibit, and command, that no Perſon or Perſons whomſoever (except the Maſter-General, Lieutenant-General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance, for His Majeſty's Service) do, at any Time during the Space of Three Months, to commence from the ſaid 23d Day of this inſtant February, preſume to tranſport into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coaſtwiſe, any Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, or ſhip or lade any Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on Board any Ship or Veſſel, in order to tranſporting the ſame beyond the Seas, or carrying the ſame Coaſtwiſe, except in the Caſes comprized within the aforementioned Orders in Council of the 13th and 27th of October, and the 6th and 22d of November, 1775, of the 5th and 19th of February, the 23d of Auguſt and 25th of September, 1776, of the 16th of April, the 13th of Auguſt, and the 3d and 10th of October laſt, without Leave or Permiſſion in that Behalf firſt obtained from His Majeſty or His Privy Council, upon Pain of incurring and ſuffering the reſpective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act paſſed in the 29th Year of His late Majeſty's Reign, entituled, "An Act "to impower His Majeſty to prohibit the Ex"portation of Saltpetre, and to enforce the Law "for empowering His Majeſty to prohibit the "Exportation of Gunpowder, or any Sort of "Arms and Ammunition; and alſo to impower "His Majeſty to reſtrain the carrying Coaſtwiſe "of Saltpetre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms "or Ammunition." — And the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, the Commiſſioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Maſter-General of the Ordnance, and His Majeſty's Secretary at War, are to give the neceſſary Directions herein, as to them may reſpectively appertain.

*G. Chetwynd.*

*Peterſburgh, February* 6. On Saturday laſt her Imperial Highneſs the Grand Ducheſs received the Compliments of the Foreign Miniſters and Nobility in her State Bed-chamber; and on Sunday ſhe appeared in Publick, and was preſent in the Evening at a Ball given at Court on the Occaſion of her Imperial Highneſs's Recovery.

A magnificent Firework, and a general Illumination throughout the Town, are preparing, in order to terminate the Feſtivals on this joyful Event.

[ Price Threepence-Halfpenny. ]

*Dublin Caſtle, February 23:*

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant has been pleaſed to appoint the following Gentlemen to be High Sheriffs for the preſent Year:

*County of Donegall*, Henry Irwine, of Ray, Eſq;
*County of Fermanagh*, Hon. Arthur Cole, of Coolarkin.
*Queen's County*, Thomas Pigott, of Knapton, Eſq;

*Commiſſions ſigned by His Majeſty for the Army in Ireland.*

*8th, Dragoons*, Mr. George Crowe to be Cornet, vice Thomas Eyre; by Purchaſe. Dated the 5th of February 1778.

*32d, Foot*, Captain-Lieutenant John Gray to be Captain, vice Alexander Turnbull, who retires. Dated as above.

*Ditto*, Lieutenant Leeds Booth to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Gray.

*Ditto*, Enſign John Langriſhe to be Lieutenant, vice Booth.

*Ditto*, Mr. —— Crofton to be Enſign, vice Langriſhe.

*Ditto*, Mr. —— M'Cartney to be Enſign, vice Smith, promoted. Dated as above.

*67th, Foot*, Lieutenant John Knox, of the 18th, Dragoons, to be Captain, vice Deſpard Croaſdale; by Purchaſe. Dated as above.

*14th Regiment of Horſe*, Philip Ainſlie, Eſq; (now Sir Philip Ainſlie) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Edward Smith, promoted. Dated the 12th of December, 1777.

Sir Guy Carleton, Knight of the Bath, to be Governor of Charlemont in Ireland, in the Room of James Giſborne, Eſq; deceaſed. Dated the 27th of February 1778.

St. James's, March 3, 1778.

*WHereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That, on Sunday Night laſt, about Midnight, Nine or Ten armed Ruffians broke open and entered the Dwelling-houſe of Daniel Clewen, of Finchley in the County of Middleſex, Farmer, and violently aſſaulted the ſaid Daniel Clewen, his Wife and Family, putting them in Fear of their Lives, and carried off a Quantity of Wearing Apparel, Linen, Plate, and Money, to a conſiderable Amount: His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in breaking open and plundering the ſaid Houſe, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.*

SUFFOLK.

*And, as a farther Encouragement for the ſaid Diſcovery, the Inhabitants of Finchley aforeſaid do hereby promiſe a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS, and the ſaid Daniel Clewen doth hereby promiſe a Reward of TWENTY POUNDS, to any Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid; the ſaid Rewards to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the ſaid Offenders.*

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, February 3, 1778.

*THE Commiſſioners and Governors of this Hoſpital do hereby give Notice, That on Wedneſday the 5th Day of Auguſt next, or as ſoon after as may be, will be let on Leaſes, to commence upon the 12th Day of May, 1779, All thoſe ſeveral Farms of Land, Tythes, Collieries, Corn-Mills, Lime-Kilns, and other Eſtates within the ſeveral Baronies, Manors, Lordſhips, Townſhips, Hamlets or Villages hereafter-mentioned, viz. Dilſton, Thornbrough, Corbridge, Newton Hall, Whittle, Newlands, Whittonſtall, Wooley, Hexhamſhire, Heckford, Langhope, Coaſtley, Highwood, Weſtwood, Barony of Langley, Barony of Work, Buteland, Whitlees and Lee-houſes, Kirkwhelpington, Hartburn, Hartburn-Grainge, Needleſs Hall, Meldon, Midford, Larbottle, Middleton Hall, Spindleſton and Glororum, Outcheſter and Cheſter Hill in the County of Northumberland, Scremerſton and Tweedmouth in the County Palatine of Durham, and Alſton Moor, and Caſterigg and Darwentwater, in the County of Cumberland or elſewhere; being Parts of the Derwentwater Eſtate held by Leaſes, or other Agreements, which expire the 12th of May, 1779; and that all Perſons willing to take any of the ſaid Farms of Land, Tythes, Collieries, Corn Mills, Lime-Kilns, or other Eſtates, may give in their Propoſals in Writing to Mr. Ibbetſon, at the Admiralty-Office, London, at any Time before the Day above-mentioned, and, on that Day, between the Hours of Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon and One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Salters-Hall, London; and in the mean Time be informed of farther Particulars by applying to Meſſ. Walton and Turner, Receivers for the ſaid Hoſpital, or to the Bailiffs of the reſpective Diſtricts.*

*N. B. Dilſton, Thornbrough, and Corbridge Farms will be lett on Leaſe for Six Years; Newlands and Whittonſtall, Wooley, Hexhamſhire, Heckford, Longhope, Coaſtley, Highwood and Weſtwood Farms, for Nine Years; Harſondale, Sillywray, Plankey Paſture, Vauce and Loaning Foot, the Lough, Middle Dean Raw, Eaſt Dean Raw, the Lees, Tedcaſtle, Land Ends Weſt Farm, and Fourſtones Farms, (Part of the Barony of Langley) for Six Years; Low Cloſe, and Strether Cloſe, Peelwell and Whitfield's Tenement, and Water Wells Cloſe, Part of Lipwoodwell Farm, (alſo Part of Langley Barony) for Three Years; the other Farms in the Barony of Langley, for Twelve Years; Ellrington and Woodhall Farms, and Woodhall Mill, and Ground, (in the Barony of Wark) for Six Years; Buteland, for Six Years; Whitlees and Lee-houſes, Hartburn-Grange, Needleſs Hall, and Meldon, for Nine Years; and the remaining Farms, &c. will be let on Leaſe for Twenty-one Years or under.*

*All Grounds incloſed or marked off for the Growing of Wood or Underwood, (for which Purpoſe ſeveral Parcels have been lately aſſigned) and alſo all ſuch as have been fenced off on Account or for the Uſe of Langley Lead Mill, will be excepted and reſerved, and no Allowance will be made for Damage by the ſaid Mill.*

*The ſeveral Tenants are to reſide on their reſpective Farms, unleſs permitted to do otherwiſe by the ſaid Commiſſioners and Governors; and no more than one Farm, as now laid out, will be let to the ſame Tenant.*

John Ibbetſon.

Navy-Office, February 28, 1778.

*THE Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy give Notice, that they will be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as are willing to contract for the Stores under-mentioned, for His Majeſty's Service, on the Days againſt the ſame expreſſed, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, that they may attend with their Propoſals accordingly, viz.*

Iron and Eaſt Country Tar, Friday March 20.
Dantzick and Stettin Plank, Monday March 23.
Hemp, - - - Wedneſday April 1.

Cuſtom-Houſe, London.

FOR SALE,

*BY Order of the Honourable the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, in the Long Room at the Cuſtom-Houſe, on Thurſday the 19th of March inſtant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, in Lots of 5, 6, and 8 Hhds. each.*

SUGAR.

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| 4 | 13 | 0 | St. Kitts. |
| 9 | 0 | 0 | Tortola. |

*Samples to be ſeen in Wycherley's-yard, oppoſite Bear Key, Tueſday the 17th, Wedneſday the 18th, and Thurſday the 19th Inſtant.*

Eaſt-India Houſe, February 18, 1778.

*THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies do hereby give Notice,*

*That the Transfer Books of the Eaſt-India Annuities will be ſhut on Friday the 6th of March next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Wedneſday the 15th of April following.*

*And that the Dividend Warrants, due the 5th of April, will be ready to be delivered on Saturday the 2d of May next.*

Eaſt-India Houſe, February 18, 1778.

*THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies, do hereby give Notice,*

*That the Transfer Books of the ſaid Company's Stock will be ſhut on Thurſday the 5th of March next, at Two o'Clock.*

*That a Quarterly General Court of the ſaid Compan*

*Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 25th of March next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon.*

*That the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Tuesday the 24th of said March.*

*And that the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be opened again on Thursday the 9th of April next.*

February 21, 1778.

*WHereas a sufficient Number of the Trustees for repairing the Roads from Stevenage in the County of Hertford to Biggleswade in the County of Bedford, and from Radwell Corner to the Turnpike Road at Arlesey in the said County of Bedford, not appearing at the last General Meeting appointed to have been held at the White Horse at Baldock, on Thursday the 12th Instant; The said Trustees are desired to meet at the same House, on Thursday the 12th of March next.*

Ila. Wilkinson, *Clerk to the said Trustees.*

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WHEREAS spurious Editions of the Three following Pieces, wrote by the late Samuel Foote, Esq; viz. "The Devil upon Two Sticks," The Maid of Bath," and "The Cozeners," have been printed by J. Wheble, Bookseller, in Fleet-street, without the Consent of Mr. Colman, the Proprietor thereof; and whereas the said Mr. Colman hath obtained an Injunction from the High Court of Chancery, to restrain the Publication and Sale of such spurious and surreptitious Impressions, till the Court shall make further Order; and whereas divers Booksellers may, through Ignorance or pretended Ignorance of the Interposition of the Court of Chancery, subject themselves to the Censure of the said Court, by the Publication and Sale of such Impressions; Mr. Colman, in Justice to himself and the Public, (as such spurious Impressions are very incorrect) and to leave such Booksellers or Publishers without an Excuse, thinks it his Duty to give Public Notice in this Paper, that he has obtained such Injunction; and that he is determined to support his Property against all such Persons who shall invade the same.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership between Richard Bulmer and Richard Green, of the Parish of St. Andrew Holborn, Haberdashers, was with mutual Consent dissolved on the 31st Day of January last.

*Rich. Bulmer.*
*Rich. Green.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between John Knight and Theomartyr Crane, of Birchin-lane, London, Warehousemen, was this 26th Day of February instant mutually dissolved; and that the Trade will in Future be carried on by the said John Knight only, on his own Account, who is impowered to receive all Debts due to the said Partnership, and by whom all Debts owing from the said Partnership will be discharged.

*John Knight.*
*Theomartyr Crane.*

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Ann Rushout, late of Chesterfield-street in the County of Middlesex, Spinster, are to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before John Eames, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, in Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 27th Day of March instant, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of Barns-Frederick Haase, late of the Parish of St. Bennet, Paul's Wharf, in the City of London, Sugar-refiner, deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts before John Eames, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London.

PUrsuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of the Reverend David Meard, late of Chiswick in the County of Middlesex, Clerk, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before William Graves, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Order.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Daniel Brown, of Goswell-street in the County of Middlesex, Coachmaster, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Saturday next, at One o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Paul's Head Tavern in Cateaton-street, to assent to or dissent from their commencing, prosecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and also to their disposing of the Bankrupt's Stock in Trade by Private Contract; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Neary, late of the Strand in the County of Middlesex, and of Putney in the County of Surry, Taylor, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignee of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Friday next, precisely at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Guildhall Coffee-house near Guildhall, London, to consider of the Claim made of the Lease on the said Bankrupt's late House in the Strand; and to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee's commencing, prosecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and also to his compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

PUrsuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Henry Earl Bathurst, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Thurston Thomas Callon, late of Old Broad street, London, Warehouseman, Factor, and Dealer, (Partner with William Callon, late of Torrington in the County of Devon,) (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 3d Day of March instant; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorized, or the major Part of them, intend to meet on the 21st Day of April next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself between the Hours of Eleven and One of the same Day, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Peter Clark, of Newcastle-court in the Parish of St. Clement Danes in the County of Middlesex, Taylor, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 7th and 17th Days of March instant, and on the 14th Day of April next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Mitchell, Cook's-court, Carey-street, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Lloyd, of Fryering in the County of Essex, Drover, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 7th and 14th Days of March instant, and on the 14th Day of April next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Plant, Attorney, in Stone, Staffordshire; or to Mr. Dodd, Attorney, at Mr. Cracraft's, Philpot-lane, Fenchurch-street, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Coward, late of Curzon-street, May-fair, in the Parish of St. George Hanover-square in the County of Middlesex, Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, (but now a Prisoner in the King's Bench Prison) and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 7th and 21st Days of March instant, and on the 14th Day of April next, at Five in the Afternoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Hodgson, of Clifford's-inn, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Fayrer, late of Lancaster in the County of Lancaster, Clock and Watchmaker, Dealer and Chapman,